

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Office of Planning and Research 1400 Tenth Street Sacramento, CA 95814 FAX (916) 323-3018

FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation

Monterey District 2211 Garden Road Monterey, CA 93940

PROJECT TITLE: Signage Replacement and Installation

LOCATION: Asilomar State Beach and Conference Grounds

COUNTY: Monterey

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Install new and replacement signs at Asilomar State Beach and Conference Grounds to improve visitor services and comply with the Americans with Disability Act (ADA) and meet requirements of the "California State Parks Accessibility Guidelines. Work will:

 Replace three (3) existing exterior map signs with nineteen (19) new painted aluminum park map/ directory signs.

Replace twelve (12) existing exterior directional signs and replace with approximately twenty (20) new painted aluminum signs.

 Replace sixty-five (65) existing exterior building/facility signs with ninety (90) new painted aluminum signs.

 Replace all interior signs, including building directories, room number signs, elevator/ stair access, directional signs, and regulatory signs.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Monterey District

EXEMPT STATUS:

Categorical Exemption Classes: 2, 3, & 4 Sections: 15302, 15303, & 15304

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of the replacement or reconstruction of existing structures where the new structure will be located on the same site as the structure replaced and will have substantially the same purpose and capacity as the structure replaced, minor alterations in the condition of land and/or vegetation and construction and location of limited numbers of new, small facilities included as "installation of signs" in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities, in accordance with CCR § 15300.4.

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